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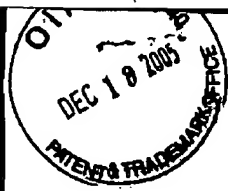
Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 09963466 in the amount of \$920.00 has been denied .

You only received a refund if the Petition was Granted. It was however Dismissed and therefore no refund is due.

Sincerely,

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 Attorney Docket No. 030675-063 DEP & REF

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Tsutomu Tamaki

Application No.: 09/963,466

Filed: September 27, 2001

For: WAVEGUIDE COUPLER

) Mail Stop REFUNDS

) Group Art Unit: 2817

) Examiner: Benny T. Lee

) Confirmation No.: 9568

REQUEST FOR REFUND

 Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of the Decision on Petition received from the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office ("USPTO") dated November 16, 2005 DE **MISSING** the Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 to Withdraw Abandonment. As the aforementioned Petition has been DISMISSED, Applicant requests that the payment in the amount of \$790.00 for the Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") filed on November 4, 2005 in the above-identified patent application be refunded as well as the \$130.00 for the Petition to Withdraw Application from Issue under 37 C.F.R. 1.313(c)(2) also filed on November 4, 2005.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit our Deposit Account No. 02-4800 the refunded fee, referencing our Attorney Docket No. 030675-063.

Respectfully submitted,

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